

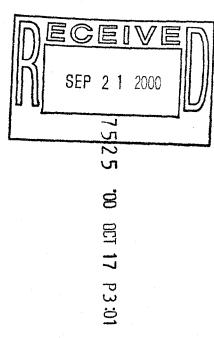




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This letter serves as a 30 day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 (DSHEA), that Country Life® is using the following statement on the label of Max-Amino Caps (dietary ingredients: Vitamin B-6, L-Glutamic Acid, L-Leucine, L-Serine, L-Valine, L-Aspartic Acid, L-Isoleucine, L-Lysine, L-Phenylalanine, L-Threonine, L-Tyrosine, L-Proline, Glycine, L-Methionine, L-Arginine, L-Histidine, Taurine, L-Cystine & L-Cysteine). This statement is accompanied by the required disclaimer. To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in this notice is complete and accurate.

B-6 aids in the utilization of Amino Acids.

Sincerely,

Mark Gaeta

Chief Operating Officer

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